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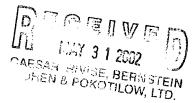
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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

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The item(s) indicated below are also required and should be submitted with any reply to this notice to avoid further processing delays. 10085852

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Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$65 for a Small Entity

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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27 525.00 (\$)

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RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS

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Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the May 24, 2002 "Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application Filed Under 37 CFR 1.53(b) - Filing Date Granted," a copy of the Notice and a Declaration executed by the inventors are attached. Authorization to charge the Sixty-Four Dollar (\$64.00) small entity surcharge under 37 CFR 1.16 (e), and/or any additional fees associated with this Response, to our Deposit Account No. 03-0075 is provided in the attached Fee Transmittal.

Respectfully submitted,

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